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CARMEN AT POTOMAC YARDS NOW OUT

300 Walk Out at 7 O'clock This Morning Completely Tying up Yards

JOINT MEETING TODAY

Seven Hundred From Southern Shops and Potomac Yards —Conference Meet in Opera House.

The 300 carmen employed at the Potomac railroad yards went on a strike at 7 o'clock this morning, which closes down the big yards. The other employed at the yards, including all of the mechanical forces, went on a strike at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon making a grand total of aproximately 400 at the yards on a strike.

In addition to the 400 at the Potomac yards who are now out there are already 300 shop employes at the Southern Railway here on a strike making a grand total of 700 out all told in this city.

The carmen at the Potomac yards were the last to leave their posts, They carried along with them both foremen and laborers leaving only the clerical forces at work at the big gravity yards.

Despite the fact that officials at the yards claimed they will not be crippled by the men going out, it is stated by the union men that the strike will completely close down the big yards and also that cars for repairs will not be repaired at places where they expected the work to be done inasmuch as the men at these points also will strike.

The situation at the Potomac yards is serious. Never before in the history of the yards were they tied up so tight as they are today. There is not a single man at work.

A joint meeting of the strikers from the Southern and Potomac yards was held at 10 o'clock this morning in the opera house which was presided over by the local union officials from the two places.

They are determined to remain out until their demands for increased pay or a reduction in the high cost of living is met. They are firm in their determination along this line and assert that under no consideration will they return until action is taken.

Attending this meeting were committeemen from the Terminal Roundhouse in Ivy City D. C., who went out on a strike at 8 o'clock this morning.

Views of the situation were exchanged by many of those present. Announcement was made that a joint committee from the Southern and Potomac yards will this afternoon hold a conference in Washington with a committee from the Ivy City Terminal roundhouse. This conference is slated to be held at 509 G street, north west, Washington.

Apart from the fact that a conference was held this morning which was attended by all of the strikers and the committees were named there is nothing further to report at this time according to the strikers. They simply are marking time and awaiting developments.

Owing to the fact that the Alexandria Trades Council rooms were insufficient to accommodate the crowd with the new men added to the st ers from the Potomac yards, it was decided to hold the meeting in the opera house where all future meetings will be held.

MAY CEDE ISLANDS TO U. S.

London, Aug. 4.—The National News says a suggestion that the British West Indies be ceded to the United States in part payment of Great Britain's war debt is being considered seriously on both sides of the Atlantic

Open Air Moving Picture Show
For benefit of
St. Mary's Boys' School
In the School Yard
Washington & Queen Streets
August 6 and 7, 1919.
At 8.30 P. M.
Adult's Ticket 35c
Children's Ticket 15c
184-3c.

LOCAL TEAM VICTORIOUS

Cardinals 9; War Department 4—Two Other Games on Docket

The Cardinal Athletic Club baseball team defeated the War Department representatives yesterday on the high school field by a 8 to 4 score.

The game was exciting and well played throughout. In the first inning the "warriors" had three men on the bases, but could not get them home as the Cardinals were as tight as a miser with his money and would not loosen up a bit.

Charlie Hantzmon pitched an excellent game for the Cardinals, although he could not locate the plate at times, but would tighten up when in danger. Catcher Savage, late of the Fort Hunt baseball team, and who has recently returned from France where he played an important part on the "firing line" of the Coast Artillery Corps, was behind the bat for the winners.

The Cardinals have been playing winning baseball during the 1919 season, having lost but one game.

Saturday, August 9, the Naval Hospital baseball team will be the Cardinal's opponents. The game will be played on the Alexandria High School field and will be called at 5 p. m.

Sunday, August 10, the Cardinals will play the Rex Athletic Club team in the Union League Park ,15th and H streets N. E., Washington, at 2.30 p. m.

Manager McDonald will take his lads over to the Capital City prepared to give the Rex a hard game and will do his best to return home with a victory.

The Cardinals have not heard from the Clarendons, "but are ready."

GUNS QUELL STRIKE

Mank Killed and Wounded in Switzerland Disorders

Geneva, Aug. 4.—Troops sent by the Government to quell strike riots at Basle and Zurich were forced to use machine guns mounted on automobiles during the disorders Friday. The strikers at Basle ripped up the payments and bombarded the troops, injuring many.

A number of strikers were killed and many were arrested.

At Basle the outbreak was said to be of a Bolshevik character, while at Zurich the disorders were attributed to the increasing cost of living. Newspapers have ceased publication and tramways have discontinued running at Basle. Operation of the gas an delectric services are threatened. The ringleaders of the strike are reported to be youths 18 and 20 years old. The military is guarding all banks and factories.

HOME DYNAMITED

Los Angeles Lawyer Target of Unknown Assassins Yesterday

Los Angeles, Aug. 4.—The home of Oscar Lawler, prominent attorney, was wrecked by the explosion of two bombs yesterday Lawler and his wife were probably fatally injured.

The home was destroyed by the explosion and fire that followed. The authorities, searching the ruins, found the remnants of two bombs.

Mr. Lawler, on regaining consciousness at the hospital, said that he had no idea who could have placed the bombs. He said his professonal activities recently had not placed him in contact with the lawless element and he had no enemies.

FIVE KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Italian Police Blame Radicals for Incident Near City of Chiatona

Taranto. Itay Ag. 4.—High-power exposives, said by the police to have been placed by radicals in order to terrorize people during the proposed general strike on July 21, suddenly exploded yesterday near Chiatona. Five persons were killed. Parts of their bodies were thrown several hundred feet in the air. No damage was done to the railroad line. The police are investigating the incident.

ATTACK ON BARRACKS

Ennis County Clare, Ireland, Aug. 4.—Thirty men armed with rifles and revolvers yesterday morning attacked the police barracks at Broadford, ten miles north of Limerick. A battle ensued between the attackers and police which lasted more than an hour. One policeman was seriously wounded.

ALL READY FOR PRIMARY TOMORROW

Candidates For State Senator and Legislature to be Chosen

BIG VOTE EXPECTED

Final Round Up Of Voters Tonight —Candidates Sanguine—Interest at Close More Pronounced.

A democratic primary will be held tomorrow for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the state senate to represent the fourteenth senatorial district embracing this city, Alexandria, Fairfax and Prince William counties and also to nominate a representative for the state legislature to represent this city and Alexandria county in that body.

Despite the fact that the campaign as far as this city is concerned has been apparently listless it is predicted that a good sized vote will be polled here tomorrow. Friends of both candidates will be out in full force it is stated.

The race for the state senate is between Walter T. Oliver of Fairfax county and C. J. Meetze of Prince William county. There is more interest in this fight than in the legislative contest.

The race for the state legislature is a triangular one and the candidates are Charles Jesse, Alexandria county; John W. May and J. W. Collins, this city.

The polls here will open at sunrise and close at sunset voting will be done at the usual voting places. The judges and clerks have been chosen by the city electorial board.

HUSBAND SHOOTS FIVE

New Yorker Invades "Good Husband's Club" Affair and Fray Brings One Death.

New York, Aug. 4.—Enraged because his wife from whom he was separated, was attending the annual picnic of the "Good Husband's Club" here Saturday night, Arthur Gould thirty years old, shot Irene Gould, twenty-four, through the wrist, killed Richard Gallagher, who went to her assistance, wounded two men and a girl, and, after his ammunition had been exhausted, was rescued from an angry mob by the timely arrival of the police. Gould, badly beaten, was held by the police on a charge of homicide.

SUMMER SCHOOL OPENS

About 100 Pupils Attend —Four Instructors In Charge

A summer school was opened today at Lee school building with an attendance of approximately 100 pupils. The school will be conducted daily for until the reopening of the schools in the early autumn. The summer school is for pupils who failed to pass the examinations for promotion. There are four teachers engaged in the work of teaching. The school is operated under the direction of Supt. W. H. Sweeney and the city school board. Admission to the school is absolutely free.

The attendance this year is reported to be larger than a previous year and shows conclusively that all the pupils who failed in their examinations propose to make strides forward so that they will win promotions at the coming scholastic term of schools.

THREE BOYS KILLED

Explosion in Quarry Shanty Where They Were Playing

Philadelphia, Aug. 4.—One boy was blown to atoms, not enough of his body being recoverable for recognition, and two other boys, brothers, were disemboweled and all their limbs torn off by an explosion in the tool shantly of a quarry at Berkley street and Pulaski avenue at 1.50 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The two brothers were not instantly killed but died in St. Luke Hospital.

STANDARD GASOLINE 25c
Open evenings and Sundays, Alexandria Auto Supply, 1041 South Washington street. 149-tf

SIX REALTY TRANSFERS

Deeds of Conveyance Recorded Today.

Deeds of transfer for the following pieces of property have just been recorded in the office of the clerk of the court; Mrs. Annie V. Monroe to Erven J. Roberts and wife house lot 510 North Washington street Erven J. Roberts to Mrs. Florentine Smoot, house and lot on the north side of Queen between St. Asaph and Pitt streets. M. T. Dwyer to M. D. Reese two story brick dwelling 230 North St. Asaph Street, trustees of the Second Presbyterian Church to W. H. Demaine three-story brick dwelling on west side of St. Asaph between Duke and Wolfe streets; Miss Louise Aitcheson to Alfred G. Dornet house and lot at the southwest corner of Duke and Lee streets; Miss Louise Aitcheson to Zekiel K. Moore house and lot on the west side of Lee between Duke and Wolfe streets.

STANTON TRIAL STARTS TOMORROW

Charged With Shooting and Killing Jesse Rolph May 12, Last

VENIRE OF FORTY-SIX

Shooting Took Place In Rosemont and Rolph Died at Hospital Two Days Afterward.

The trial of D. Worth Stanton, charged with shooting and killing Jesse Rolph, which occurred May 12, is scheduled to begin at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in the corporation court, Judge L. C. Barley, presiding.

A venire of forty-six talesmen from which to select a jury of twelve has been summoned.

It is expected that the case will occupy two days. A large number of witnesses, including several character witnesses for the accused have been summoned to testify. Stanton alleged that Rolph disturbed his domestic happiness and that this was responsible for the shooting. The shooting took place the afternoon of May 12 and Rolph died the morning of May 14 at the Alexandria Hospital.

Rolph was employed as foreman of the anglesmith shop at the plant of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation.

The accused will be represented by Attorney Edmund Burke and Commonwealth's attorney Howard W. Smith will conduct the prosecution.

CHILDREN HUNGRY

Six Million Underfed Because of High Cost of Living

From 3,000,000 to 6,000,000 American children are not getting enough to eat because their parents are unable on their present incomes to buy sufficient food, sai da statement issued yesterday by the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor. These are the children, the statement said, who are often pronounced by parents and teachers to be "delicate," "ailing", "lazy" or just "plain orney," although their true affliction is mal-nutrition.

The number of school children in the United States who are not getting sufficient food was placed at from 15 to 25 per cent. This was said to be true of one-nth of the children attending school in New York City.

"Thousands of American families" the statement said, 'are today living on an income which does not permit an adequate diet."

Watch for
Dollar
Day
Tuesday,
Aug. 19

"DOLLAR DAY" SALE COMING

Merchants Plan Biggest Bargain Festival Ever Held in City

TUESDAY, AUGUST 19th

Twenty-Five Have Already Signed and Others Are Expected to Take Part In Big Event.

Dollar Day is coming!

For the first time in its history the many progressive merchants of rapidly growing Alexandria, have agreed to join hands and give the buying public the greatest feast of bargains ever prepared for one days sale.

And the date of this heretofore unheard of bargain festival is Tuesday, August 19

The sale is to be conducted under the auspices of the Retail Merchants Bureau of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce and is to be thoroughly advertised in every section of the county and even into other counties of the norther portion of the state.

An incomplete canvass of the various stores of the city has provided a list of about 25 merchants ready and willing to participate in this first sale and that they will endeavor to make DOLLAR DAY one of the biggest events of the kind ever held here and to make it a semi-yearly bargain festival, is a foregone conclusion.

DOLLAR DAY has never failed to provide one of the biggest crowds ever attending a sale in the many hundreds of cities and towns of the United States where these sales are held semi-annually and that Alexandria will join the ranks of these progressive and wide awake citites is a practical certainty.

Within a few days, window cards and signs advertising the big event will be on display in the windows of the stores taking part in the sale, and the thrifty shopper will do well to patronize the stores having these cards in the windows.

Below is a tentative list of merchants who will take part in the sale. Any other merchants of the city desiring to be identified with the list, are requested to call Mr. J T. Preston, at the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce rooms.

Department Stores:—D. Bendheim and Sons, E. R. Elliott, Swan Bros., W. T. Farley, R. E. Knight and Son.

Ladies' Ready to wear—The Leader Store, Julius Wolf, M. Sperling, M. Lieberman.

Millinery—Mrs. C. E. Bradley.

Men's Clothing—Eddy and Gerber, Downham and Ridgeley, Kaufman & Blumenfeld, Abe L. Cohen, B. Abramson, H. Friedlander, Baer's-Alex Kaufman, L. Levinson.

Men's Hats.—Howell, the Hatter.

Music Stores—J. M. Reed.

Shoe Stores—George W. Bontz, A. Katz.

Jewelers and Son—Saunders and Son, Castelberg's.

Books and stationery—S. F. Dyson and Bro.

DYNAMITED GIRL'S HOME

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 4.—Charged with dynamiting the home of the girl he loved and who has been persisting in her refusal of his attentions, Anthony Costino, aged 16 years, was arrested early yesterday morning after dynamite had been exploded under the porch of the house of John Salaki, on East Drinker Street.

The porch was smashed into splinters and doors knocked out of plumb. Salaki, his wife and their 15 year old daughter, Josephine, were thrown from their beds, but all escaped injury. The police say Costino told Josephine he would kill her unless she agreed to marry him and it is thought he used the dynamite to carry out his plan.

MARRIED

NOLAN—THOMAS—On Saturday, August 2, at Rockville, Md., Miss Edith M. Thomas, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Finch, and William B. Nolan, by Rev. F. Minnick. 184-1p.

SUBSTANTIAL BIRTHDAY GIFT.

Mrs. Lucy W. Roberts Presented With Deed for Agnew Court by Her Son, R. S. Roberts

Mrs. Lucy W. Roberts, sixty-seven years old, whose home is in Danville, Ind., was given a genuine surprise today by her son, R. S. Roberts, of this city, when he presented her with a deed for the house and lot 310 South Pitt street, formerly the property of the Agnew estate, know nas Agnew Court.

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daughter, Miss Kelly Roberts, only arrived in Alexandria this morning and had been here but a few hours when her son made her a property owner in Alexandria by presenting her with a deed from the property which has just conveyed to him by purchase from Gardner L. Boothe, special commissioner.

Mrs. Roberts was a passenger on the Chesapeake and Ohio train which had a narrow escape from being wrecked by a landslide at Huntington, W. Va., yesterday when the engine of train 204 was badly damaged.

VICE PRESIDENT OF BANK

Robert S. Barrett With South American Corporation

Robt. S. Barrett, this city, formerly commercial attache at Buenos Aires, has been chosen first vice president of Portalis and Co., Ltd., international bankers and merchants This company has its main office at Buenos Aires and has established a New York office at 25 Broad St., Branches also are located at London, Paris, Montevido and Rosari.

Mr. Barrett) will be located in Buenos Aires and expects to sail for that city next month.

JAPAN WILL KEEP FAITH

Baron Goto Says China Will Receive Shantung Back

London, Aug. 4.—Japan will keep faith in its engagement concerning Shantung, according to a statemen by Baron Goto to the Manchester Guardian. "Talk is heard," he says "that the Chinese fear Japan will no carry out her promise to return Shantung to China, and this fear seems to be shared by other foreigners also.

"Japan has always strictly observed her treaty obligations and ha never had occasion to apologize fo non-performance of ner promises. Th treaty between China and Japan in 1915 clearly stipulated that Japa will eventually return Shantung to China. That engagement leaves not the slightest doubt that Japan will turn Shantung over to China, for Japan has never been accused of breaking faith."

WOOD ALCOHOL KLLS SEVEN

Victims Bought "Beverage" in Lieu of Real Liquor at Jersey City

Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 4.—Seven persons have died here within the past ten days from drinking wood alcohol, it was revealed yesterday by Dr. Arthur P. Haskins, assistant county physician. Dr. Haskins said the victims had obtained the "beverage" from barges in lieu of liquors no longer obtainable under prohibition.

It became known here yesterday that David Carbine, of Crabtree, Pa. had become totally blind while awaiting discharge from Camp Dix as a result of drinking what soldiers call "blackjack," a concoction which when analyzed, proved to be wood alcohol, to which some coloring matter had been added. Carbne is in the Monmouth Memorial Hospital at Long Branch.

Warnings have been issued at Camps Dix and Vail against soldiers indulging in "blackjack."

HANGS HIMSELF AT 85

Plattsburg, N. Y., City Attorney Had Held 30 Public Offices

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Henry E. Barnard, city attorney of Plattsburg and formerly member of the Assembly from Clinton county, was found hanging in a barn at his residence here yesterday by his son, Mayor C. E. Barnard.

Mr. Barnard was 85 years old and was regarded as one of the leading lawyers of the city and county. He had held 30 public offices, including those of district attorney and city alderman. Ill health was believed to have led him to end his life.

HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

Miss Mamie Keegan has gone to Boston by sea where she will spend her vacation.

R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Hulfish spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Dodge, at Chester, Va.

Mr. Ernest Lyles of Bridgeport, Conn., has returned home after coming here to attend the funeral of his sister Mrs. Philip Parks.

Mr. R. L. Bartlett of Daube, Md., has returned after a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. Peter Hoy and his grandfather, Mr. J. H. Bartlett.

Mrs. Grace Shoutlz and Miss Ruth Smith left yesterday evening for Camp Oka Lee, Toronto, Canada where they will spend the month of August.

An open air moving picture show will be given Wednesday and Thursday evening on the lawn at St. Mary's boys' school, Washington and Queen streets.

Master Laurence Thompson of Warrenton, Va., who has been spending the past week with his aunt, Mrs. R. E. Thompson, has returned to his home accompanied by his cousin Alton Thompson.

Mrs. Cora M. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Fritsch and little daughter, Virginia, motored in from Chicago on Sunday and are guests of their relatives, Mr and Mrs. W. Nickiin, of South Pitt street.

Mr. Wm. H. Ware, of Washington, and Miss Maggie May Staples, of this city, were quietly married Saturday evening at Grace Church rectory by Rev. Edgar Carpenter. They will reside in Washington, D. C.

A sample of the lights proposed to be used for the illumination of King street's white way was placed in position Saturday and used Saturday night for the first time. The light was been placed on a pole on the south side of King between St. Asaph and Pitt streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Rosenfeld, this city, announces the marriage of their son, Norman E. Rosenfeld to Miss Alice L. Greenberg of Buffalo, N. Y., which took place in Washington yesterday at the home of Rev. Dr. Simon. Immediately following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Rosenfeld left for Newport News and other southern cities.

ATTACKED AFTER CRASH

Automobilist Blackjacked by Truck Driver for Protesting.

Trenton, Aug. 4.—After his automobile had been knocked into a ditch by a motor truck on the Lincoln Highway, about a mile above Morrisville, early yesterday morning, William F. Wallace, of Washington, D. C., charges that he was blackjacked by the driver of truck, who then made his getaway.

Wallace declares that the truck was running on the left side of the road, and following the collsion, when he asked the driver why he did not keep to the right, the man pulled a blackjack and hit him on the head inflicting a severe scalp wound.

The truck was owned by the Commonwealth Storage Company of Philadelphia, and bore the Pennsylvania license No. C4519. Efforts to overtake it were futile.

MASONIC NOTICE.

There will be a call communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120 A. F. and A. M. at the Masonic Temple Wednesday evening, August 6th, at 7.30 o'clock to confer the F. C. degree. All master masons invited. By Order of the Worshipful Master.
184-3c. J. Y. Alexander, Secty.

MARRIED

Mr. Floyd L. Dickerson and Mrs. Elsie Cohen, of this city, were married in Washington, D. C., February 7, 1919, by Rev. J. E. Briggs officiating.

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ELECTON TOMORROW

Tomorrow night will bring to a close one of the most apathetic campaigns in the political history of Virginia. The only State officers to be elected this year are members of the General Assembly, and the Dmocratic party has few issues to create interest in the question of who shall be the representatives of the counties and senatorial districts in the General Assembly. Two gentlemen—one from Prince William and the other from Fairfax—are candidates for the Senate from this district, and three candidates—two from Alexandria and one from the county—have their hats in the ring for the House of Delegates.

The only dark spots on the political horizon come from differences of opinion as to the maintenance of a State Department of Prohibition, and of the proper methods to bring down the high cost of living. Virginia seems to accept prohibition as the inevitable, but there is throughout the State honest disagreement over the matter of keeping a separate arm of the State government for the enforcement of prohibition laws.

In many of the counties and districts this disagreement has come to the surface as a well defined issue in the campaign.

"OCCUPATIONAL MISFITS."

The Government has organized an educational activity among our forces overseas, which is called the Department of Occupational Direction for the purpose, so it is announced, of preventing "occupational misfits."

The Thrift Magapine in commenting on the above statement says, "Let us hope that something definite will be accomplished along this line, for the world is full of right men in wrong places.

"The amount of human accomplishment would be tremendously increased if each person were engaged in the work for which he is particularly fitted.

"There are men working at lathes and benches who should be landscape gardeners or salesmen. There are book agents who should be teaching school and there are lawyers and doctors—ah, unhappy thought!—who should be shoveling coal or piloting street cars. There are dentists who should be laying brick, and there are Chautauqua orators who should be tilling the gladsome soil. There are natural born janitors who think they are Heaven-sent poets, and Congressmen who ought to be in the movies. As Mr. Gray might have written: 'Full many a barber was born to gush unseen and waste his greatness on his victim's hair.

"This would be a far happier world than it is today if there were fewer left handed men in right handed jobs."

"THT SEA AND THE WAVES ROARING."

The divine forecast of conditions in the latter days seems to be in evidence today. Riots and strikes are spreading over the world as never before, while the high cost of living is driving many persons desperate. The following excerpts from Him who spake as never man spake are attracting the attention of the thoughtful:

"And there shall be signs in the sun and the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves are roaring;

"Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things that are coming on the earth."

Recently the world has read of thousands of men throwing up their jobs and refusing to heed the orders of their leaders. This is ominous.

As the Baltimore News says, almost a year has slipped past since the cessation of hostilities, since it become certain that the war was ended. The treaty of peace has been signed and awaits ratification. World commerce is renewed, the armies are mostly demobilized, the interests of the nations are again paramount, yet we have not settled down. The whole world is in the grip of unrest, vaguely afraid of what the future may bring forth, groping, wondering. Class consciousness is on the increase; economic life is topsy turvy. The years between August, 1914, and August, 1919, are gone; but in passing they left a deeper impression than we reckoned. The signing of a treaty does not bring peace. Most of the physical losses of the war will be replaced, and Nature will cover her irreparable scars with mosses and lichens, and will soften their harsh outlines with Time. But in the hearts of men the change is deeper and more subtle; and we may well wonder whether the old world as we knew it, before the war is not gone forever."

The deplorable industrial and economic situation in England as the result of the arbitrary and high-handed conduct of the trades unions should be a warning to labor in this country and the world over. Radical Socialism has taken possession of labor ranks in England and wild theorists have control in the place of level headed and reasonable leaders.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

The constant raising of wages provides no permanent remedy, or relief, for high prices, and to continue the endless chain of wage increase and still high cost of living will only increase the evil.

For nearly ninety-hundredths of the population of these United States living, conditions are becoming intolerable, and the public will not be satisfied until such conditions are corrected. The writer discussed this subject with the present Representative from the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, before he was elected to Congress, and told him it would be the most important matter to come before the Congress, and asked him to study the question, and try to solve it. He agreed with the writer about it, and, stated that, there was no sufficient reason for the high cost of living, and that, if he was elected, he proposed to give his time and thought to the solution of it, and he wanetd to know how it could be done, to which the writer replied he did not know because he had not studied the subject, but was certain there was a remedy, and as soon as the real cure for such conditions was ascertained the remedy would be found.

Those of us who lived through the period from 1865 to 1875 will recall the high cost of living then, and which continued all during the reconstruction period after the War of '61 and '65. The price of wheat ranged around two dollars a bushel up to '75, and food stuffs as well as other commodities, advanced considerably, but about '75 prices began to decline, and in due course of time, about 1878, wheat declined to below one dollar and twenty-five cents per bushel, and other things proportionately, and after that time fifty cents would buy as much or more than a dollar would between '65 and '75. Wages, however, did not advance very considerably, because they had advanced during the War. The advance and fall of wages never keep pace with the advance and fall of commodities. The remedy at this particular period suggested by the silver men, and their friends, was inflation, or to put the money of the country on a silver basis, but, fortunately, a majority of the people believed that to do it, would afford no relief rather increase the distress of the country.

The cause for the high prices continuing after the War until 1878 was due to the reluctance of individual traders (very few trading corporations then) to reduce prices, because they believed their profits would be diminished thereby; but, so soon as the law of supply and demand was restored, prices began to decline, and continued to decline, according to that law.

It is certain, if anything in the future is certain, when the law of supply and demand is restored, and becomes applicable, prices will decline to normal.

When the real cause for the high prices for the necessaries of life is ascertained and removed, and not before, the law of supply and demand will be restored and control.

Trading corporations in food and other commodities began to appear about 1880, and their number has been greatly increased since that time, and now in almost all lines of trade, trading corporations are engaged. About 1890 the trusts and combines were born under the form of corporations, and have ever since that time fixed and controlled prices of all commodities, and they are in a position now to do it more effectually that ever before, and will continue the practice until their hold upon the trade of the country, domestic and foreign, is broken and the same restored to the people, and individual responsibility put upon the individual traders. If such could be accomplished the law of supply and demand would again become applicable and cause prices to decline immediately. The writer does not believe that it is possible to break the hold of the trusts and combines on the trade of the country, domestic and foreign. They are here, and they will remain with us forever.

Many believe the present situation has been brought about mainly, by consciousless profiteering of the great interests which have secured control of all the necessaries of life, and, unfortunately, their examples have been followed by some of the middle men and retailers. The greatest offender is said to be the meat trust, which controls, it has been stated, ninety-two articles necessary for the life of the nation.

As the cereature is not superior to its creator, and as the government created these corporations, some people think, if no other way is found to bring relief to the people, the government should destroy them. This it can do undoubtedly, but, it would be unwise.

There is one thing the government should do, regulate them, and subject all trading corporations to visitorial authority; turn the light on their conduct, and hold them to the strictest responsibility for it, and in their dealings with the public. The welfare of the people is the primary consideration for all governments, and individuals, and other interests which are inconsistent, or conflict, with the welfare of the people must yield.

The writer fels certain that good will come out of the agitation of this subject. There are now indications to that end. Some of the indications are, one of the largest combines is about to go into voluntary liquidation—another one of them is about to distribute twenty millions of its stocks to its employees; and others of them are beginning to seek cover. When one of the largest trusts or combines was under investigation of the Federal Trade Board a few years ago, its books were found to be in such a condition that it was impossible to make any report from its records. For this condition some one should have had authority to imposed a fine of a million dollars against it, and to imprison its chief officials.

J. M. J.

QUAKE SHAKES FLEET

Six Dreadnoughts Escape Damage off Mexico

Dreadnoughts with the Pacific Fleet were damaged by an earthquake shock off the coast of Mexico according to word flashed to the Arlington wireless station early this morning.

Extent of the damage was not told. Six Dreadnoughts were mentioned in the dispatch. Navy officials said they presume the smaller vessels were less affected.

The dispatch came from the New Mexico, Rear Admiral Eedman's agship.

"The masts of the ship swayed like trees in a gale," said the message. "The New Mexica shook from stern to stem."

The fleet was twenty miles off the west coast when the accident occurred.

It is not known whether the fleet was able to continue its journey, or whether the larger vessels must travel slowly or put in at a Mexican port and await repairs.

The Pacific fleet is en route to San Diego, where it was scheduled to arrive on August 7. One of the ships recently met with disaster through the explosion of its boilers as it was passing through the canal, killing six.

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MAY MAKE WINE AND CIDER

Sub-Committee of Senate Judiciary Committee Eliminate Search and Seizure Clause.

It will be permissible to make wine cider and other beverages from fruits in the home for personal consumption under the prohibition enforcement measure as amended by the subcommittee of the senate judiciary committee.

No restriction upon the amount of alcohol these beverages may contain is made in the bill, so that if the cider turns "hard" and the wine is up to the standard of the prohibition era it will be no offense to have it or drink it.

Another important change made in the house bill by the senate committee was the elimination of the search and seizure clause which would have permitted the seizure of private stocks of liquors where it was suspected or proven that liquors were being sold in violation of the law. The senate committee not only struck this clause from the bill but inserted a new provision expressly forbidding agents of the enforcement law from entering upon private property or making any effort to seize liquor in private storage.

The action of the house in fixing the alcoholic content of beverages at one-half of one per cent was sustained by the senate subcommittee.

GUNMEN KILL TWO

New York, Aug. 4.—Joseph Cohen, hat manufacturer, of Manhattan, is dead, and Harry Korman, also of Manhattan, is dying of three bullet wounds in the abdomen, received in a shooting affray on Surf avenue, Coney Island, yesterday which caused a panic among the crowds on their way to the beach. The shooting is believed by the police to be an outgrowth of the killing of "Johnny Spanish," Manhattan" gang leader.

C. & C. SHOPMEN STRIKE

nployees in Richmond Numbering 575, Leave Work After Vote

Chesapeake and Ohio shops only ave been affected by the strike of shopmen, according to word from the officials late Saturday afternoon. Machinists, helpers and apprentice boys at the Chesapeake and Ohio shops numbering 575 went out at 10 o'clock in the morning. The action was in accord with the demands of the union for higher wages.

STRIKE IN LIVERPOOL

Stores Looted as Rowdies Parade Through Unpoliced Streets

Liverpool, Aug. 4.—This great port city is an armed camp.

Martial law reigns in the business and industrial sections.

Virtually all the workers in the city have answered the summons of the Trades Union for a general strike.

Saturday night is marked by continued riots. Considerable blood has been shed.

The first volley from goverament troops was fired by a lorry full of soldiers in Love Lane, which lies in the northern part of the city. The troops tried to break up a raid by strikers on a large bottling plant. A shower of stones, bottles and clubs was hailed on the soldiers and this drew a second volley. One rioter was mortally wounded.

SHOOK HANDS; ASKS $5,000

West Virginian Claims His Arm Was Wrenched

Wheeling, W. Va., Aug. 4.—John A. Tennyson has filed suit in the Circuit Court here against Riley Briggs for $5,000 damages sustained when Briggs shook hands with him. Tennyson was a collector and, after calling on Briggs a number of times, secured payment of a bill. He states that after the two were friends and Briggs always spoke pleasantly to him, but that one day he seemed especially cordial and asked that they shake hands.

That was three years ago. Tennyson says that all he remembers following the handshake was waking up in the street with a bad wound on the had. He charges Briggs took this method of "getting even" with him, wrenching his arm so that he has never fully recovered its use.

ACCIDENTLY SHOT

Blacksburg, Va., Aug. 4.—The body of Amos Sessler, thirty-four years old of Ironton, Montgomery county, who was shot by a young man named Perdue in a remote part of Craig county Thursday was brought to a local undertaking establishment.

Reports of the shooting are conflicting but it is stated that Sessler was shot by his companion from the rear seat of an automobile and that Perdue claims to have been shooting at a squirrel that ran across the road in front of the car.

Sessler was a farmer and a man of some means.

NEGRO LABOR BARRED

Homes of Lithuanian and Polish families in Chicago Burned.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—To prevent a possible recurrence of fires which early yesterday destroyed six blocks of homes of stockyard workers, negro labor will be barred from the yards, it was announced, after a conference between Governor Lowden and the packers.

The homes burned were chiefly those of Lithuanian and Polish families, and the Governor thought reports indicated radical labor men had started the blazes because the foreign workers had not supported their plans.

Troops were on duty tonight at the fire ruins and in the negro residence district. Schools and fire stations have been opened to homeless families, some of whom sat on a near-by prairie today with their small heaps of belongings.

Coroner Hoffman caused a surprise today by announcing that no marks of violence had been found on the body of Eugene Williams a negro youth, who was reported stoned and knocked from a raft into Lake Michigan last Sunday at a bathing beach, the act precipitating the riots. The coroner stated that the negro had not been struck by stones, but had been drowned. George Stauber, white, is being held by the police on a charge of murder in connection with Williams' death.

Only a few minor disturbances occurred today. In one case a Mexican Theodore Gra[illegible] was stabbed, mistaken for a negro, was stabbed, probably fatally by a white man.

TO JOIN STRIKE

52,000 Members of Brotherhood of Railway Conductors Soon to Vote on Walk Out

That 52,000 members of the Brotherhood of Railway Conductors will soon follow the lead of railway shopmen in taking a strike vote seemed certain here today.

President L. E. Sheppard, of the conductors, said he will call on Rail Director Hines within a few days to ask an answer to the conductors' demands for wage increases averaging 35 per cent.

HIGH COST OF LIVING

Governors, Mayors and Legislative Bodies Will Try to Force Prices Down

War on the high cost of living will be in full swing in at least 30 States within two weeks, Justice Department officials predicted.

In Ohio, Michigan and Maryland investigations already are under way. In other States they are being scheduled.

Governors, Mayors State and city legislative bodies, civic organizations and local officials in scores of sections are preparing to follow the lead of Attorney General Palmer in devising means to jam down the cost of living.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1918, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 3, 1908.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 32 of article 3 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate, the house of delegates concurring, (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section thirty-two, which is in the following words:

Sec. 32. Every person qualified to vote shall be eligible to any office of the State, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the State, wherein he resides, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and except that this provision as to residence shall not apply to any office elective by the people where the law provides otherwise. Men and women eighteen years of age shall be eligible to the office of notary public, and qualified to execute the bonds required of them in that capacity.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 32. Every person qualified to vote shall be eligible to any office of the State, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the State, wherein he resides, except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and except that this provision as to residence shall not apply to any office elective by the people where the law provides otherwise, and except further, that the requirements of this section as to residence, voting qualifications, shall not apply in the appointment of persons to all positions under a municipal government requiring special technical or professional training and experience. Men and women eighteen years of age shall be eligible to the office of notary public, and qualified to execute the bonds required of them in that capacity.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 138 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the senate, the house of delegates concurring, (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-eight, which is in the following words:

Section 138. The general assembly may, in its discretion, provide for the compulsory education of children between the ages of eight and twelve years, except such as are weak in body or mind, or can read and write, or are attending private schools, or are excused for cause by the district school trustees.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 138. The general assembly may, in its discretion, provide for the compulsory education of children of school age.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 117 of article 3 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate and the house of delegates (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity to the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and seventeen, which is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

Section 117. General laws for the organization and government of cities and towns shall be enacted by the general assembly, and no special act shall be passed for the organization thereof, except in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution, and then only by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house; and except also in the case of cities having more than fifty thousand inhabitants as hereinafter provided. But each of the cities and towns of the State having at the time of the adoption of this amendment a municipal charter may retain the same, except as far as it shall be repealed or amended by the general assembly; provided, that every such charter is hereby amended so as to conform to all the provisions, restrictions, limitations and powers set forth in this article, or otherwise provided in this Constitution.

Notwithstanding, however, anything in this article contained the general assembly may, by general law or by special act (passed as prescribed in article four of this Constitution), depart in any respect (except as otherwise in this section expressly provided) from the form of organization and government prescribed by this article for cities and towns, and may provide, from time to time, for the various cities and towns of the Commonwealth such form or forms of municipal government as the general assembly may deem best; but no form or forms of government authorized by the second paragraph of this section shall become operative except as to such cities or towns as may thereafter adopt the same by a majority vote of its qualified electors at an election to be held as may be prescribed therefor by law. All the limitations on the powers of the councils of cities and towns imposed by this article shall apply in like manner to the principal legislative authority under any form of government which may be authorized hereunder. The term "council" as used in sections one hundred and twenty-five and one hundred and twenty-seven of this Constitution shall be construed to include the body which, under any form of municipal government, shall be vested with the principal legislative authority of such municipality.

The general assembly, for the purpose of this article, may classify cities according to their population, but the maximum population prescribed for any class shall exceed the minimum population for the same class by at least ten thousand. The general assembly, at the request, made in manner which may be prescribed by law, of any city having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants may grant a special form of government for such city, subject to the provisions of this section.

Any town or charters enacted pursuant to the provisions of this Constitution relating expressly to, or limiting the powers of, courts, attorneys for the Commonwealth, commissioners of revenue, city treasurers and city sergeants.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 117. General laws for the organization and government of cities and towns shall be enacted by the general assembly, and no special act shall be passed for the organization thereof, except in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution, and then only by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house. But each of the cities and towns of the State having, at the time of the adoption of this Constitution a municipal charter may retain the same, except as far as it shall be repealed or amended by the general assembly; provided, that every such charter is hereby amended so as to conform to all the provisions, restrictions, limitations and powers provided in this Constitution.

(b) The general assembly may, by general law or by special act, (passed in the manner provided in article four of this Constitution) provide for the organization and government of cities and towns without regard to, and unaffected by any of the provisions of this article, except those of sections one hundred and twenty-four, one hundred and twenty-five, (except so far as the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-five recognize the office of mayor and the power of veto) one hundred and twenty-six one hundred and twenty-seven, and one hundred and twenty-eight of this article and except those mentioned in sub-section (d) of this section. The term "Council" as used in any of said sections shall include the body exercising legislative authority for the city or town, and all ordinances enacted and resolutions adopted by such body shall have the same force and effect for all purposes, as if enacted or adopted in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-three of this article. But such organization and government shall apply only to such cities or towns as may thereafter adopt the same by a majority vote of those qualified voters of any such city or town voting in an election to be held for the purpose, as may be provided by law.

(c) The general assembly, at the request of any city or town made in manner provided by law, may grant to it any special form of organization and government authorized by sub-section (b) of this section, and subject to all of the provisions of that sub-section, except that it shall not be necessary for such city or town to thereafter adopt the same.

(d) Any laws or charters enacted pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be subject to the provisions of this Constitution relating expressly to judges and clerks of courts, attorneys for the Commonwealth, commissioners of revenue, city treasurers and city sergeants.

(e) Any form of organization and government authorized by any provision of this section which may have been adopted heretofore by any city or town pursuant to any act of the general assembly enacted before such provision became effective, and which is now in operation, is hereby declared legal and valid ab initio, and shall have the same force and effect as if it had been authorized by this Constitution at the time of its adoption.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 133 of article 9 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (the majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to section one hundred and thirty-three, article nine, of the Constitution of Virginia, be and is hereby proposed and referred to the general assembly at the first regular session held after the next general election of members of the house of delegates for its concurrence in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-three of article nine, which is in the following words:

Section 133. Each magisterial district shall constitute a separate school district, unless otherwise provided by law. In each school district there shall be three trustees selected, in the manner and for the term of office prescribed by law.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 133. Each magisterial district shall constitute a separate school district, unless otherwise provided by law. In each school district there shall be not more than three trustees selected, in the manner and for the term of office prescribed by law.

Men and women may serve as school trustees in said districts, and in cities and in towns forming separate school districts.

A RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 184 of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing) That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and eighty-four, which is in the following words:

Section 184. No debt shall be contracted by the State except to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion, or defend the State in time of war. No scrip, certificate, or other evidence of State indebtedness, shall be issued, except for the transfer or redemption of stock previously issued, or for such debts as are expressly authorized in this Constitution.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 184. No debt shall be contracted by the State except to construct, or reconstruct, public roads, to meet casual deficits in the revenue, to redeem a previous liability of the State, to suppress insurrection, repel invasion, or defend the State in time of war. No scrip, certificate, or other evidence of State indebtedness, shall be issued except for the transfer or redemption of stock previously issued, or for such debts as are expressly authorized in this Constitution.

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 136 of article 9 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment and certifying the same to the next session of the general assembly.

Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six, of article fifteen, of the said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and thirty-six, which is in the following words:

Section 136. Each county, city, town, if the same be a separate school district, and school district is authorized to raise additional sums by a tax on property, not to exceed in the aggregate five mills on the dollar, in any one year, to be apportioned and expended by the local school authorities of said counties, cities, towns and districts in establishing and maintaining such schools as in their judgment the public welfare may require; provided, that such primary schools as may be established in any school year, shall be maintained at least four months of that school year, before any part of the fund assessed and collected may be devoted to the establishment of schools of higher grade. The boards of supervisors of the several counties, and the councils of the several cities, and towns if the same be separate school districts, shall provide for the levy and collection of such local school taxes.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 136. Each county, city, town, if the same be a separate school district, and school district is authorized to raise additional sums by a tax on property, not to exceed in the aggregate in any one year a rate of levy to be fixed by law, to be apportioned and expended by the local school authorities of said counties, cities, towns and districts in establishing and maintaining such schools as in their judgment the public welfare may require; provided that such primary schools as may be established in any school year, shall be maintained at least four months of that school year, before any part of the fund assessed and collected may be devoted to the establishment of schools of higher grade. The boards of supervisors of the several counties, and the councils of the several cities, and towns if the same be separate school districts, shall provide for the levy and collection of such local school taxes.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1918, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

JUDGE RHEA CHAIRMAN

Major Forward Nominates Senior Member to Preside Over Corporation Commission

Judge William F. Rhea, senior member of the State Corporation Commission, it having been the first time since the elevation of Judge Robert R. Prentis to the position that a chairman has not been obliged to vote for himself in order to secure election. The precedent was set by Colonel Christopher B. Garnett and followed by R. E. Williams.

CLEARED OF MURDER

Last Chapter is Written in Most Baffling Mystery Occurring in Roanoke.

Roanoke, Va., Aug. 4.—Indictment against A. H. Karnes charged with the murder of Mrs. Amanda Kelley, on the outskirts of the city last summer, were dismissed Thursday, Karnes had been convicted and sentenced to twelve years in the penitntiary, but the Supreme Court of Appeals held that the circumstances relied upon to show the guilt of the accused were insufficient to sustain the conviction.

This probably is the closing chapter of one of Roanoke's most mysterious murder cases. One other man, Walter Agee, was arrested on suspicion shortly after the murder, but was released after preliminary hearing.

ARREST ALLEGED SLAYERS

Baltimore Detectives Bringing Man and Woman From Florida Town

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 4.—Detectives from Baltimore left here Thursday afternoon, having in custody Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cothron, whom they recently arrested at Yelverton, Fla. It is alleged the man and woman are wanted for a series of crime, including murder and robbery in Baltimore and Atlantic City, Mamie Grosscup, a child alleged to have been kidnapped in Baltimore and carried by the Cothrons to Yelverton, was with the officers. She is to be returned to her parents in Baltimore. The party stopped here for several hours, to break the journey. While here the prisoners were detained in the police barracks.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Denver, Colo., Aug. 4.—Two fatalities and thousands of dollars' worth of property damage resulted from a series of heavy storms in various parts of Colorado within the last two days.

Near Montrose, Colo., the men were killed by lightning as they were seeking shelter in a barn.

Hundreds of motor tourists were marooned in the mountains, as roads were rendered impassable and bridges swept away.

With the exception of three or four lines, street car service in Denver was demoralized.

TUNNEL UNDER CHANNEL

Plans for Undersea Link with France Given Cabinet

Paris, Aug. 4.—Measures to expedite the construction of a tunnel under the English Channel, connecting France and England, were presented to the Cabinet Thursday by Albert Claveille, Minister of Public Works.

Plans to construct the tunnel under the English Channel have been under consideration by the French and English for nearly a year. A British Parliamentary Committee, considering the matter, was said to have suggested some time ago that arrangements be made to floor or blow up some part of the tunnel in case of emergency.

It was decided also that the tunnel should belong jointly to Great Britain and France and that work should be started from both ends simultaneously.

OPERATIC PRODUCER DEAD

Oscar Hammerstein Succumbs to Disease in New York Hospital

New York, Aug. 4.—Oscar Hammerstein, noted grand opera producer, died Friday night at the Lenox Hill Hospital of a complication of diseases. He was 72 years old.

Mr. Hammerstein's entire right side became paralyzed Tuesday, and on the same day he lapsed into a coma from which he never recovered.

The death of Mr. Hammerstein marks the passing of one of America's most picturesque personalities. For years he had been the stormy petrel of grand opera management, not only in the United States, but also in Europe. He was a man of varied talents and had a temperament as erratic as that of any of his numerous operatic stars.

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603 N. Columbus	4,000.00	513-15 Queen, for both	2,500.00
218-20 N. Pitt	1,700.00	505 Queen	3,750.00
214-16 N. Pitt	3,650.00	200 S. Pitt	4,000.00
1014 Prince	4,500.00	501 Queen	4,000.00
1017 Queen street	2,000.00	613 S. Washington	4,500.00
232 N. Alfred	2,500.00	505 Wolfe	3,500.00
427 S. Washington	3,500.00	503 Queen	3,750.00
1211 Prince St.	3,750.00	205 S. Royal	5,250.00
230 N. Alfred	1,800.00	209 S. Royal	5,250.00
228 N. Alfred	1,800.00	204 S. Pitt	2,000.00
224 N. Alfred	2,000.00	1113 Prince St.	3,500.00
1923 Duke	2,000.00	333 S. Patrick	1,000.00
1300 Princess	5,000.00	130 N. Fayette	3,000.00
322 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	810 Prince	6,500.00
525-27 S. Alfred	1,600.00	714 Wythe	4,750.00
123-25 Duke	4,500.00	319 S. Pitt	4,500.00
114 N. Patrick	3,500.00	521 Duke	5,000.00
326 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	1303 Prince	2,000.00
320 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	624 N. Washington	5,500.00
328 N. St. Asaph	2,250.00	115 S. St. Asaph	5,000.00
108 Commerce	2,000.00	113 S. St. Asaph	4,500
Washington & Pendleton Corner	7,250.00	118 N. St. Asaph	3,000.00
311 Queen	2,200.00	120 N. St. Asaph	4,000.00
125 N. Washington	5,000.00	1014 Prince St.	4,500.00
512 Duke	8,500.00	323-25-27 S. Patrick each	1,600.00
117 South Lee	3,900.00	702-04-06-08-10-12-18 N. Columbus, each	1,850.00
1018 Queen street	3,100.00	216 Wolfe St.	2,800.00
408 Wilkes	2,000.00	117 S. Henry	5,550.00
328 N. St. Asaph	1,200.00	224 S. Washington St.	7,000
721 Queen	5,250.00	317 N. Columbus St.	3,750
212 King	3,000.00	107 S. Fayette	1,000
623-29 S. Patrick each	800.00	222 N. Royal	4,000
514 Queen	1,000.00	321 Queen	1,200
427 S. Fairfax	4,750.00	318 S. Patrick	1,500
314 S. Fairfax	5,000.00	407 Cameron	5,000
425-31 S. Columbus	2,000.00	411 Cameron	5,000
304 S. Lee	4,000.00	413 Cameron	5,000
319 N. St. Asaph	1,200.00	217 N. Patrick	2,100
202 S. Pitt	3,500.00		
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WANTED—Settled white woman to stay with two children, ages 11 and 4 years as company and help with house work in exchange for room and board. Apply between a. m., and 2 p. m., 215 North Columbus Street. 184-2p.

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Wanted—Girls to work in laundry. Pleasant work. Apply 1210 Queen Street. 118-tf

WANTED—Boy to learn machinist trade. Wages to start $6 per week. Apply J. and H. Aitcheson. 114-126 King street. 182 4p.

WANTED—GIRLS in starch and flat work dpartments. Apply Banner Steam Laundry, 909 Oronoco St 183-3c,

WANTED—A woman to do general housework in house of three rooms Apply a tonce 207 North Alfred street. 183-2p

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FOR RENT—Two good cool rooms and one small hall for light housekeeping, cheap on third floor. Apply 212 South Pitt street between 5 and 9 p. m. 184-1p.

FOR RENT—Two large furnished rooms gentlemen only. Apply 111 North Alfred Street. 184-3p.

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WANTED—Furniture for five rooms, must be in good condition. Box 15. Gazette Office. 183-2p.

FOR SALE—House and store, 600 South Pitt Street. Apply at 329 South Lee Street. 179-6p.

FOR SALE—Beautiful new two-story frame dwelling, 405 South Royal street, containing 6 rooms, electric lights, bath toilet ,and range in kitchen. Immediate possession. For price and terms apply to John D. Normoyle, corner King and Royal streets. Bell Phone 564. 183-6c.

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CLEARANCE SALE

ROSENFELDS are selling out their entire stock at prices far below cost. All show cases and counters are also for sale. One 18 inch electric fan, good as new, and one water cooler. 184-tfc.

CANDIDATES' NOTICE

Don't forget to vote for J. W. Collins for State Legislature in Democratic Primary Tuesday, August 5. I respectfully solicit your support.
181-5. J. W. COLLINS.

IN THE CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

William E. Fowler & Co., a Corporation, incorporated, and doing business under the laws of the State of Delaware, complainant vs. Rosemont Development Co., Incorporated, defendant. In Chancery.

To the Rosemont Development Co., Incorporated and the General Creditors of the said Rosemont Develcpment Co., Incorporated.

TAKE NOTICE.

That I have fixed upon Saturday, August 23, 1919, at my office, 123 South Royal Street, Alexandria, Virginia, at ten o'clock, A. M. as the time and place where I will proceed to execute the decree enterd in this cause on the 23rd day of July, 1919, wherein I am directed to ascertain and report as follows:

1—Of what estate, real, personal and mixed, of which the said Rosemont Development Co., Incorporated, a Corporation, is possessed and entitled, and what are the liens and priorities of the same against said property;

2—The amounts of the debts due by the said defendant, to whom due and the priorities of the same;

3—Whether or not it will be necessary to have a sale of the property of the defendant in order to satisfy the claims against the said defendant.

4—Whether the rights of any persons will be violated by such sale.

5—Any other matter or thing any party in interest may require or to the said Special Commisioner may deem pertinent.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to atetnd at said time and place and protect their respective interests.

Given under my hand this 1st day of August, 1919.

CHARLES HENRY SMITH.
183-18c Special Commissioner.

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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 31st day of July, 1919.

Walter F. Gates, complainant vs. Agnes F. Eberle Gates, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant, Walter F. Gates, from the defendant Agnes F. Eberle Gates on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Agnes F. Eberle Gates is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here with in fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Charles Henry Smith, P. Q.

A copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
184-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of August, 1919.

Fannie H. Jefferson, complainant vs. Lewis Jefferson, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the Complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of wilful desertion for three years.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Lewis Jefferson is a non-resident of State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after the publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Leo P. Harlow, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
184-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st, day of August, 1919.

Alice T. Terrell, complainant vs. Walter G. Terrell, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Walter G. Terrell is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after the publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GRENAWAY,
184-4wc Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st doy of August, 1919.

May C. Gaffney, complainant vs. Thomas S. Gaffney, jr., defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the Complainant a decree divorcing her from the said defendant a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment of complainant by defendant for the period of more than three years.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Thomas S. Gaffney, Jr., 's a non-resident of this State: It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here with in fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Malcolm Hufty, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
184-4wc Clerk

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FORCED OUT BELA KUN

Chairman of Hungarian Trades Union Conquered Bolshevist Head

Copenhagen, Aug. 4.—First details of the dramatic coup resulting in the overthrow of Bela Kun's Bolshevist government in Hungary are just coming in. Samuel Jazzei, chairman of the Hungarian Trades Union, is credited with being directly responsible for it. He demanded the dictator's resignation in the face of the ontinued Rumanian advance upon Budapest.

Jazzei summoned the Trades Union Council and forced the downfall of Bela Kun Thursday night. Bela Kun fought throughout the day to retain power, but his hand was forced and he finaly announced the failure of his own policies and resigned, fleeing to Vienna, where he is now interned. His chief henchman, Szamuely, is reported to have been shot.

The new government promises, in a manifesto, to protect private property and offers an armistice to the allies. Budapest is under martial law pending restoration of order.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of August, 1919.

Madeline A. McKelligon, complainant vs. Maurice I. McKelligon, defendant. In Chancery.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to annul the marriage of Madeline A. McKelligon to Maurice I. McKelligon the parties to this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Maurice I. McKelligon is a non-resident of this State: It Is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Charles F. Morganston, Jr., P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
184-4wc Clerk

ANNOUNCEMENT

Columbia Bedding Company has opened a mattress factory and is now ready to renovate box springs, mattresses, pillows and etc., at reasonable prices. Work called for and delivered the same day. Let us call and give you estimate. See us about a new mattress. Columbia Bedding Co., Prince and Commerce Streets. Phone 743 169-26t

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Harper Overland Company, Incorporated, for the election of directors, and other business, will be held in the office of Mr. Leo P. Harlow, 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, on the 9th day of August, 1919, at two o'clock P. M.

The books of the Company, for the transfer of stock, will be closed for twenty days preceding said meeting.

Benjamin D. Jenkins, Secretary.
174-15t

People Will Buy If You Tell Them About the Things You Have to Sell

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The American public is a buying public, It has the money to spend and will spend it if you will show them the need for spending it. Therefore—Advertise!

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W. B. WILSON, Secretary

ROGER W. BABSON,
Director General, Information and Education Service.

ROBBERS GET $20,000 WORTH

First Beat, Former Hagerstown Man And Wife Senseless

Hagerstown, Md., Aug. 4.—After being brutally beaten into insensibility, Charles H. Beck, formerly of Hagerstown and his wife, Mrs. Nan Wolford Beck, were robbed of $150 in money and $20,000 worth of jewels at their summer home at Somers Point, near Atlantic City, N. J., Thursday morning by four masked strangers.

Mrs. Beck was awakened by a man bending over her bed and demanding that she give up her jewels. When she refused to tell where they were one of the robbers struck her over the head.

Awakened by the disturbance, Mr. Beck ran into his wife's room. Immediately he was covered with a pistol and also beaten into insensibility. While Mr. and Mrs. Beck were unconscious they were bound with picture wire and strips of bed clothing. Then the robbers took their loot.

Mrs. Beck over whose head one of the burglars had laid a wet towel revived as they were examining the booty and pleaded with them to leave a pair of opera glasses, which she said was a treasured hairloom. They granted her request, but blindfolded her and left the house.

It was an hour before the victims could loose their bonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Beck eft Hagerstown about 15 years ago for Phiadephia, where Mr. Beck engaged in business.

QUELL STRIKE RIOTS

Basle and Zurich Citizens Bombard Troops With Bricks, and Many Persons Die

Geneva, Aug. 4.—Troops sent by the government to quell strike riots at Basle and Zurich were forced to use machine guns mounted on automobiles during the disorders Saturday. The strikers at Basle ripped up the pavements and bombarded the troops, injuring many. A number of strikers were killed and wounded and many were arrested.

At Basle the outbreak was said to be of a Bolshevist character, while at Zurich the disorders were attributed to the increasing cost of living. Newspapers have ceased publication and tramways have discontinued running at Basle. Operation of the gas and electric services are threatened. The ringleaders of the strike are reported to be youths eighteen and twenty years old. The military is guarding all banks and factories.

WHY THEY WENT TO CHURCH

Mrs. Clogg went to find out where the missionary meeting would be held.

Willie Jones went because his mother made him.

His sister went because she had her hair up for the first time.

Sadie Williams went to flirt with the Scott boy.

The Scott boy went to flirt with Sadie Williams.

James B. Jenkins went because he had done so for 14 years.

The sexton went because he had to pump the organ.—C. Life.

Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate

By virtue of authority vested in the undersigned commissioners of sale by decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria County, Virginia, entered at the June term, 1919, in the chancery cause of Lillie Groves vs. Mt. Ida Realty Company, Inc., et als we will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises at Mt. Ida, Alexandria County, Virginia, at ten o'clock, A. M., on **Wednesday, August 6th, 1919,** all of the following property situated in Jefferson Magisterial District, Alexandria County, Virginia to-wit.

Lots 1 to 26, both inclusive, block 2; lots 4 to 21, both inclusive, block 3; lots 26 to 50, both inclusive, block 3; lots 19, 20, 21, 22, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 35, 37, 42, 43, block 4; lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, to 29, both inclusive, and 30, 33, 34, 37, and 38, block 5; lots 1 to 7, both inclusive, 12 to 35, both inclusive, 40 and 43, block 6; lots 1, 2, 5 to 23, both inclusive, block 7; lots 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 12 to 19, both inclusive, 26 and 28, block 8; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, block 9; lots 1, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17 block 10; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 18 19, 20, 21, block 11; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 to 13, both inclusive, block 12; lots 1 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 13, 22, 24, 25, 27, 32 33, 34, 36, 37, 38, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47, block 13; lots 5, 6, 7, block 14; lots 1 to 18, both inclusive, block 18; lots 1 to 18, block 19, both inclusive; lots 1 to 10, both inclusive, block 20; lots 1 to 17, both inclusive, block 21; lots 1 to 10, both inclusive, block 15; lots 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 25, 30, 31 32, 33, 34, 43 and 44, block 16; lots 28 29, 45, and 46 block 17.

All of the above lots and blocks are shown on the plat of Mt. Ida, as the same appears duly platted, dedicated and recorded in two sections, the first in Deed Book 120, at page 202, and the second in Deed Book 125, at page 119, etc., of the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia; with the exception of blocks 18, 19, 20 and 2 which are not shown on said plat but have been subdivided and the plat not placed on record. Copy of the plat of said last four mentioned blocks will be recorded with deed to the purchaser thereof.

2nd: A tract of land containing 18.99 acres known as Area No. 4; a tract containing 22.74 acres known as Area No. 5; a tract containing 17.50 acres known as Area No. 6 and a tract containing 61.66 acres known as Area No. 8; the same being shown on the partition plat of a tract of land known as Mt. Ida as the same is recorded in Deed ook 117 at page 235 of the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia.

The above subdivision lots are splendidly located on the Alexandria branch of the Washington-Virginia Railway in one of the best residential sections of Alexandria county Virginia, and in a community which is growing rapidly. The other tracts of land adjoin the part which has been subdivided and are well adapted to subdivision purposes either in building lots or villa sites.

Property sold free of encumbrance except current taxes for the year 1919.

Conveyancing and recording at cost of purchaser.

The said property will be sold as a whole or in parcels in the discretion of the undersigned commissioners to be determined on day of sale. All sales to be subject to confirmation by the Circuit Court of said county.

Terms of sale: Cash. A deposit of one hundred dollars on all sales two thousand dollars or under will be reuired on day of sale, and of five hundred dollars on all sales of over two thousand dollars. Terms of sale to be complied with within ten days or property to be resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser.

FRANK L. BALL,
HOWARD W. SMITH,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
HUGH W. DAVIS,
Commissioners of Sale.

I hereby certify that the bond required of the Commissioners of Sale in the above suit has been given by Frank L. Ball, one of the Commissioners above named, in the amount and manner prescribed by the above mentioned decree.

GEO. H. RUCKER,
Clerk, Circuit Court, Alexandria County, Virginia. 180-6c

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Leave Alexandria for Washington.

A. M.—*5.00, 5.40, ‡6.00, * 6.10, 6.20 6.30, 6.40, *6.50, 7.00, *7.10, 7.20, *7.30 7.35, 7.40, *7.45, *7.50, *7.55, 8.00, *8.0 *8.10, 8.20, *8.30, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40.

P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20 1.0, 1.40, 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.4 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.5 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.0 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.1 7.20, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.0 9.20, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays
‡Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

A. M.—*6.35, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.5 0.35, 11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.3 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.5

‡Except Sundays.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains, Alexandria, Virginia. The following schedule figures published as information and not guaranteed.

SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.	New York-Memphis	North.
3:27 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	3:18 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:58 p.m.
9:07 a.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	9:13 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:37 a.m.	(Coaches)	11:13 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:58 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
2:37 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:08 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	11:03 a.m.†
4:22 p.m.	(Local)	10:58 a.m.
6:22 p.m.	Wash'ton-Warrenton	7:53 a.m.†
23:07 p.m.	Wash'ton-Harrisonburg	6:48 p.m.
	Washington-Charlottesville	
7:17 p.m.	N.Y.-Augusta-Aiken	7:18 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:02 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:43 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	8:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
11:02 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.
	Charlotte-Washington	6:48 p.m.

WASHINGTON SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.	Washington-Fredericksburg	North.
12:10 a.m.	(Local)	
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:35 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7:55 a.m.	(Local)	12:00 p.m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:47 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
10:52 a.m.	(Local)	8:10 a.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:47 a.m.	(Express)	7:50 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
12:12 p.m.	(Local)	1:40 p.m.k
	New York-Tampa-Key West	
3:32 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	3:10 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:17 p.m.	(Local)	8:32 p.m.
	Washington-Columbia-Memphis	
6:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12:45 p.m.
	New York-St. Petersburg-Palm Beach	
8:07 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	9:20 a.m.
	Washington-St. Petersburg-Tampa	
9:17 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	9:10 p.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Express)	3:26 p.m.†
	Richmond-Washington	
	(Local)	6:26 p.m.†
	Quantico-Washington	
	(Local)	2:35 p.m.‡

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Chicago, Aug. 4.—More than 250,000 railway shopmen of the country were idle Saturday night as a result of the strike called by the Federated Railway Shopmen's Union, according to statements of leaders of that organization after receiving reports from all sections. The officials said the strike is spreading, with no indication of immediate settlement.

John D. Saunders, secretary, declared the men will remain on strike until their demands for 85 cents an hour for machinists and 60 cents for helpers are granted. He said that regardless of what the international officers of the various unions may be doing at Washington, the rank and file of the men have determined not to recede from their demands, with back pay to January 1.

Mr Saunders said no men will be removed from the wrecking crews, and that no violence will be tolerated.

AUSTRIANS COMMIT SUICIDE

Consul and Wife Leave Letters Saying They Cannot Survive "Disgrace of Empire."

Zurich, Aug. 4.—Herr von Maurig, Austrian consul-general here, and his wife Countess Survey, committed suicide Saturday. They left a letter stating they were "unable to survive the disgrace of the Austro-Hungarian empire."

THEATRES

RICHMOND—Wm S Hart

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William S. Hart has ever appeared in "Wagon Tracks," his latest Artcraft picture which will be shown at the Richmond Theatre tonight. It is accurate historically and will afford delightful entertainment to "Big Bill's admirers.

Mr. Hart plays the part of a guide whose experiences are one series of sensational adventures in a day when adventure was every real man's middle name. The picture is believed by Mr. Hart to be one of his best and certainly if time and effort are of any consequence in a picture his judgment is well based for there has been no stinting in either respect.

GRAND THEATRE

There are some wonderful storm scenes in "Shark Monroe," the latest Artcraft Picture, starring "Big Bill" Hart, which will be shown at the Grand Theatre today. Hart plays the park of Shark Monroe, bad man of the sea, and during a wonderfully realistic storm scene, Shark works his way out to the bowsprit and rescues a man who is caught there. Huge waves pass over them, but Shark clings on like grim death and finally brings the unconsious man back to safety. The story was written by C. Gardner Sullivan and was directed by Hart under the supervision of Thomas H. Ince. Also Antonio Moreno in "Perils of Thunder Mountain," his best yet.

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Chapter 14 of "The Tiger's Trail" will also be shown.

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